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NEWS AND NOTES.

A Summary of Important Events.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

The Southern Passenger association has

made the rate of one lowest first-

class fare for the round trip to the na-

tional fair at New York, on the 25th,

Mich., in August. The Boston Pass-

enger association has made a rate of \$15

from Boston to St. Louis and return, Au-

gust 24th.

At Magdalena, N. M., on the 20th, W.

R. Newberry and W. V. Nolan, newly-

married cattlemen, quarreled. Newberry

began firing at Nolan and two shots

took effect in the groin. Nolan returned

the fire with a Winchester, the second

shot passing through the heart, and

Newberry fell dead.

Reports from various portions of

western Oklahoma go to assure im-

portant crops of wheat, cotton and corn.

The wheat crop is being threshed and

is yielding from fifteen to thirty bushels

to the acre. Corn is insured by recent

rains and is already in the ear. The

cotton crop is estimated, will yield

from half to a bale per acre.

The friends and trustees of Kenyon

college, the old and wealthy Episcopal

institution at Gambier, O., are greatly

excited over the discovery that \$21,000

of the college fund had been used to

meet the running expenses of the

college. For several years the treas-

urer's reports have shown small defi-

ciencies, but no one was aware that the

fund was being used in this manner.

SAMUEL MYERS, an employee of the

New Alton & St. Lawrence Rail-

road Co., went away from his camp

near Saranac, N. Y., on the after-

noon of the 25th, for a stroll, and has

not been heard from since. Fifty men

with experienced guides, have been

searching the woods for him.

The Minnesota state democratic con-

ference, gathered at Minneapolis, on

the 10th, with 1,000 delegates in at-

tendance. The ostensible object of

the gathering was to organize the club

movement of the state and discuss cam-

paign plans.

The Vice President of St. Peters-

burg says unless France and Russia

make a formal alliance the parties to

the duel will become so arrogant

that they will soon be engaged in a

war. A tug-sloop boat was conveying

a pleasure party across the bay of Arr,

from Largs to Ballysoda, Scotland, on

the 1st, it capsized, and eight persons

were drowned.

TUR MARIUS Imperial, secretary of

the Italian legation, was at Bar Har-

bor, Mo., on the 1st, to consult with

Mr. Blair.

SECRETARY FOSTER, it is understood,

has been elected to the position of

1st. per cent. bonds at 2 per cent. inter-

est.

The Iowa republican state conven-

tion, in session at Cedar Rapids, on the

1st, nominated Hon. Hiram C. Wheeler,

of Sac county, for governor, by ac-

clamation; for lieutenant-governor,

George Van Houten, of Taylor county;

justice judge, N. M. Weaver; superin-

tendent of public instruction, Henry

Sabing; railroad commissioner, Frank

F. Campbell.

The London police have warned the

German and French socialists and

anarchists, against any overt act dur-

ing the visit of the duke.

A BRAZILIAN tourist fell into the

crater of Mount Vesuvius, on the 1st,

and met a horrible death. A com-

panion was saved by the timely inter-

vention of a passing steamer.

The new form of debt statement is

issued on the 1st shows that the in-

crease of the public debt during the month

of June, less cash in the treasury, amount-

ed to \$1,000,000. Total cash in the

treasury, \$1,000,000. The bonded

debt decreased \$2,218,666.22.

A TORNADO swept over the

Credent district of Blenheim, Prussia, on

the 1st. In the town of Credent both

the houses and the church were de-

stroyed. The loss was estimated at

\$100,000. At last advices the desert was

converted into a lake five miles wide.

The Florence (Ala) tripoli works

commenced operations on the 25th. It

is the only works of the kind in the

United States, and the proprietors are

certain that they have a bonanza. The

tripoli is found in large quantities in

Lancashire county, Tenn. It is said to

be the only kind of tripoli on this

side of the Atlantic.

An attempt was made on the night of

the 1st, to wreck the "Steamboat train,"

near Wilson's station, Conn. The

locomotive struck and exploded a dy-

namite bomb at that point, damaging

the engine and tearing off a foot of the

lower part of the rail. The train, how-

ever, went on, and a French attack is a

deadly catastrophe was averted.

PIKE, ROLLAND F. FALKNER, Ph.D.,

of the Wharton school of finance and

economy, university of Pennsylvania,

has been elected to the chair of political

economy in the Northwestern university

at Chicago. Dr. Falkner is a graduate

of the Wharton school of finance and

economy of the university of Halle, Germany.

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renewal of the triple alliance, says that

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improbable. The obvious design of England is to maintain the balance

of power in the Mediterranean without

favoring any individual power.

The London Standard, commenting

on the French occupation of the

province of Lunenburg, supposes

the movement is a prelude to an event-

ual attempt by the French to annex

Siam with the object of aiding Russian

designs in eastern Asia. Continuing,

the Standard says such a project is cer-

tainly to involve antagonism on the part

of China.

The census bureau has issued a bulle-

tin on the subject of schools for the

blind. It appears that the total number

of students in these schools in this

country in 1889 was 2,311, while in 1890

the number was 2,401, an increase in

the decade of 90. This apparent in-

crease, it is said, is due to some extent

to the increased facilities for the recep-

tion and education of the blind.

ABOUT 12 o'clock on the night of the

4th grasshoppers stopped the Rock

Island passenger train at Kansas City,

about five miles from the Kansas line.

They covered the track for a distance

of five miles, and the wheels of the

engine revolved helplessly. Another en-

gine was wrecked at Lyman, which

pushed the train through the five-mile

column, taking two hours to accom-

plish it.

The 40-act in the Madras presidency

of India continues, and all hope of ob-

taining intermediate crops has been

abandoned. The land presents a dreary,

scorched waste, and the people, so far

as the poorer classes are concerned, are

already suffering acutely from a famine

and from a scarcity of drinking water.

MISSOURI STATE NEWS.

State Finances.

The report of State Treasurer Ste-

phens of the transactions of the treas-

ury department for June has been sub-

mitted to Gov. Francis. It shows a bal-

ance of \$1,340,836.52. This amount is

deposited as follows: Cash in vault,

\$2,021,981; Union national bank, Kansas

City, \$243,216.67; Franklin bank, St.

Louis, \$340,251.74; First national bank,

Jefferson City, \$64,116.06; First na-

tional bank, Kansas City, \$113,-

639.30; Exchange bank, Jeffer-

son City, \$64,577.43; Kansas City

State bank, \$243,229.99; Central

national bank, Booneville, \$64,104.70;

total, \$1,340,836.52. The reduction of

the state bonded debt since January 1,

the report says, has been \$1,160,000.

This leaves the outstanding bonded

debt as follows: Six per cent. bonds,

\$1,533,000; 3 1/2 per cent. bonds, \$5,240,-

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